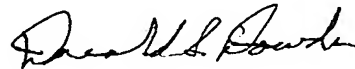


**REMARKS**

This preliminary amendment has been prepared to reduce the filing fee. Favorable action is respectfully requested.

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